THE SMITH-MURRAY COMPANY,

Monday, January 3d, 1910, The Great Semi-Annual Sale Begins!

Every Woman Within Forty Miles Should Come. The price-cutter has been at work all through the store. Hundreds of shrewd shoppers wait for these halfyearly clearings, and they do not wait in vain. Those who come to this sale will be amply rewarded in the great opportunities afforded for saving money.

CLOAK DEPARTMENT.

A sale of Women's Suits, Jackets, etc. This sale is arranged to effect only; Sale Price, \$3.95.

Women's Raincoats in a clearance of every winter garment tne advantage is obvious.

SUITS.

Women's Suits that were \$15.00 to

Sale Price, \$18.00

COATS.

newest styles, worth \$10.00; Sale than value,

Price \$4.95
Women's short Jackets in Cheviot
Women's short Jackets in Cheviot
\$85.00 to \$75.00; Sale Price \$50.00
Brown Copey Coats, 50 inches long \$12.50; Sale Price \$6.95 and \$8.95 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats, 50 inches long, worth \$13.50 to \$15.00; Sale Price \$10.00. Coats that were \$20.00 and \$25.00

WAISTS.

Black Brilliantine Waists, all sizes 34 to 44; Sale Price \$1.39 each. White Lawn Waists, worth \$1.50

Sale Price, 95c each. Fine Lawn Waists; Sale Price \$1.95

CHILDREN'S COATS.

Children's coats in 12 and 14 year sizes, brown, navy. and mixtures, worth \$8.95; Sale Price. \$5.95. Children Coats that were Sale price \$2.94.

RAINCOATS.

Misses' Raincoats in gray and tan and as the stock is representative of Rubberized. Sale Price \$8.95.

the best domestic and foreign makes, Satin and Cravenette Raincoats, \$12.50.

WRAPPERS.

Women's Suits that were \$20.00; Sale Price \$12.50.

Misses' Suits, 12 to 16 year sizes, were \$8.95 to \$10.00. Sale price \$5.00

Women's Suits that were \$20.00; Price, 39c each.

Long Kimonas; Sale Price \$1.49

Scarfs and Muffs in Coney, Fox Black Kersey Coats, 50 inches long and Opossum, 25 to 50 percent less

Sale Price \$15.00
Women's half-fitted Coats in mixed each.
Outing Hats for Ladies or Children ular prices.

(Second Floor.)

EMBROIDER: ES.

Edgings and Insertions, 5c, 10c 12 1-2c yard. The best values we ever had on ou

Corset Cover and Flouncing Embroideries, :5c. 19c. 25c yard. Great bargains
5000 ya ds Torcnon Laces and Insertions, 4c per ya.d. Regular 5c

\$1.00: Sale price i9c yard.
35 inch Black Taffita, value \$1.00: Sale Price 95c yard.
36 inch Black Messaline, value sertions, 4c per va.d. Regular 5c

COLORED SILKS.

Special value in Messaline, regular 75c quality, rll colors, Sale Price 39c a yard. Check, stripe and l'ancy Silks, val-

ue 5c; Sale Price 49 a vard. Colored Bengalines; Sale Price 5 to a v. id. Remnants of Silks at half price. (Left Aisle rear.)

RIBBONS.

3 1-4 inch all silk wash taffeta ribbons. Special sale price 10c a yard. 5 inch stripe messaline hair bow ribbons, worth 39c a yard. Special sale price 12 1-2c vard.
5 inch Dresden ribbons, worth from 25c to 39c. Sale Price 19c .a

yard. Fancy beltings, 5c yard, worth

WOMEN'S NECKWEAR.

Lace Stocks and Jabots, worth 19c All our Trimmed Hats that were \$1.95 to \$3.95; Your Choice \$1.00 each.

each.

Scarfs, Ruffs and Boas at half reg-

SILK BAPGAINS.

19 inch Black Messaline, value 750 Sale Price, 49c yard.

19 inch Black Peau-de-Cygne, 75c

Price, 75c each.

Holiday neckwear, slightly muss-Sale Price 59c yard.

Black Moire, \$1.00 quality. Sale ed. goods that sold for 25c, price Price 69c yard. 27 inch Black Bengaline, value

\$1.50; Sale Price \$1.16 yard,

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Ladies' and Children Handkerchiefs, 3c each. Worth fc, 8c and Silk Mufflers in black or white, 39c 59c. 89c and \$1.00. Just about half

MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

Fleeced lined Shirts and Drawers, yalue 59c. Sale Price. 45c εach. Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, value

69c. Sale Price 45c each. Natural Wool and Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers, value 89c and \$1.15. Sale Price 69c and 95c each.

MEN'S HOSIERY.

Natural Wool Hose, value 15c. Sale price, 11c a pair. Fa t Black Cotton Hose, value 15c. Sale Price, 11c pair, Wool Hose, black, natural and Camel's hair Sale Price 23c pair.

MEN'S SHIRTS.

Men's Negligee Shirts, old lot, 39c each. One 'ot Men's Fancy Bosom Shirts,

regular 75: and \$1.00. Sale Price 25 Price 23: a pair.
Children's heavy ribbed hose. Sale

DRESSES.

One piece Dresses in Broadcloth, and \$15.00

WOMEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR.

20 dozen Gray Vests only, value 25c. Sale Price 15c each. One lot of Fleece lined Vests and Pants. Sale Price, 23c each. One lot of Fleece lined Vests and Pants, value 59c. Sale Price

each.
One lot of plain Vests and Pants, value \$1.00. Sale Price, 69c each. Women's Combination Suits. Sale

Price, 45c each. Women's Combination Suits, value \$1 00. Sale Price, 75c each.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDER-WEAR.

Boys' fleece lined Shirts and Drawers. Sale Price 23c each. One lot of Boys natural Wool Shirts and Drawers. Sale Price 45c

One lot of Infants' Vests, value 39c Sale Price, 25c each.

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOS-IERY.

Fast Black Hose, 10c pair Fast Black Hose, white feet, 11c a pair. Fast Black Hose, value 33c. Sale

each. Not all sizes.

Lot of Boys' Sweaters, high neck,
Lot of Boys' Sweat ribbed, regular 39c goods. Sale Price 25c a pair.

UMBRELLAS.

Gloria Silk Umbrellas, paragon frame, good line of handles, worth and plaids, 75 excellent patterns, al-\$1.25. Sale Price 95c each. Special Values in tight roll, fast value Prunellas and Serge, \$7.95, \$10.00 | black Umbrellas, paragon frame, steel rod, \$1.48, \$1.75 each.

WASH GOODS.

Think of the present market price of raw cotton, then compare our prices and you will readily see where we save your money.

2500 yards Standard prints, value 7c. Sale Price 4 1-2c yard.

2000 yards Ginghams, stripe, check and fancies, value 10c. Sale Price, 6 1-2c yard.

Outing Fiannels, 2000 yards, all new stripes and fancies, value 10c. Sale Price 6 1-2c yard.

2000 dark ground percales, navy, with white stripe and figures, value 12 1-2c. Sale Price 7c yard.

2000 yards light percales, neat stripes and figures, 36 inches wide, value 12 1-2c. Sale Price. 7c vard. 150 pieces best Sandard Outing Flaunels in stripes, checks and plaid. Regular price, 12 1-2c. Sale Price 9c a

2000 yards Kimona Flannels, also waistings.

Flannels, values 15c, 19c. Closing Sale Price 11c a vard. 36 inch Twilled Kimona Flannels,

suitable for wrappers and Kimonas, value 19c. . Sale Price 11c yard. Plain Pongee, no color missing, 25

shades to select from, value 19c. Sale Price 15c yard. 34 inch Scotch Ginghams in checks ways 37 1-2 c. Sale Price 25c yard.

Imported Robe Flannels made to retail at 37 1-22 Sale price. 29c vd. (Left Aisle, front.)

THE SMITH-MURRAY COMPANY,

BRIDGEPORT, CONN.

The Newtown Bee

Newtown, Friday Dec 31, 1909.

Stepney.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

Friday evening, the 31st, the Sanday school Christmas exercises will be held at 7 o'clock. All are invited pot, this week to attend.

The district superintendent, Dr J. R. Adams is expected to preach and of Mr and Mrs Harold Olmstead. hold the fourth quarterly conference at three o'clock. Sunday school will preceed the preaching service.
Sunday evening, the pastor will

preach up on "A backward look over the year that has past." Friday evening, January 7, the young people are invited to the par-

BUILDING SAVED FROM BURNING.

sonage from 8 to 10 for a social even-

Last Tuesday morning about 11 was about to drive away from his home on Elm street to go to Long have just received an order for 10 Hill he saw smoke coming from his gross of the "Quick-as-a-wink" cork laundry in a small building just pullers to go to Sidney, New South building. On opening the door he room all on fire. Fortunately there Christmas day.

Miss Mary E. Seeley spent Christmas day.

Miss Mary E. Seeley spent Christmas day. to put the fire out, which he did by working lively. Had the fire had a Mrs Albert mill, in Ansonia. few moments more headway it would have been impossible to have saved the building and almost impossible to of Mrs Oscar Plumb in Nichols. save his nouse.

DEPOT BURGLARIZED.

Burglars broke into the station, last Saturday night, and tore the and New York at Hillcrest cottage. pay telephone from the wall and took what money was in it and then entered the office and turned everything Mrs George Parmelee. up side down, but not finding any money did not take anything away. Entrance to the depot was made through one of the windows, but the money they got from the telephone was about all the booty they se-

NO CHURCH SERVICES, SUNDAY.

There was no service in either church on Sunday on account of the snow blizzard. Many of the roads were badly blockaded and several horses took plunges into the deep

Mrs F. L. T. Ober and children, weeks here with Mr and Mrs C. W. Edwards, expect soon to leave for Michigan, where Mr Ober has a responsible position with the Buick Christmas in Bridgeport with their

Auto Co. Mrs Flora Lyops and Mr and Mrs Sturges of Stratfield and Jerome Sunday morning, at 10.45 as usual at Nichols and family were all guests the Baptist church, followed at noon on Hurlburt Street; Mrs Frank Fer- in the lecture room on Friday evenon Christmas day of Mr and Mrs C. by the Sunday school.

articles to make pancakes for break- and Mrs L. J. Wheeler. fast and nice pure maple syrup, Karo Corn Syrup and other syrups to eat on the pancakes at W. L. Penfield's

George Squinaball of Bridgeport is spending several days here, the guest of his grandmother, Mrs A. Mattigat, Charles H. Hawley has been unloading three cars of coal at the de-

Mr and Mrs J. F. Olmstead spent Christmas in Bridgeport, the guests The installation of the officers of Washington Lodge, F. & A. M., No 42, was postponed from Monday ev-

ening on account of the severe storm until Thursday evening. Miss Catherine Lynn of New York was a guest over the Christmas holiday of Mr and Mrs Frederick Lynn. Miss Nellie Hummel and Mr and

Mrs.W. C. Porter, all of Bridgeport,

were guests, Christmas, of Mr and Mrs F. A. Reid. E. R. Eastwood purchased, the first of this week, a fine Holstein o'colck, just as Merwin W. Johnson heifer of Adolph Heinze of Trumbull. The Hawley Manufacturing Co.

back of his house and hastened to the Wales, Australia, and will ship the order, this week. C. L. Smalley was in Ridgefield on

> mas and a few days with her sister, Mr and Mrs Sophia Hayes and Miss Mabel Hayes were Christmas guests

> Ernest Bigbee of Bridgeport was guest of J. Purdy on Christmas. Camille J. Nareau entertained sev eral relatives from Worcester, Mass.

Miss Edith Fairchild of New York and Daniel Fairchild were guests of Miss Emma Mellen, who has spent the past two weeks with her brother, has returned to her home in the

village. Mr and Mrs Arthur J. Hull entertained Mrs E. O. ...ull and family of Bridgeport, Christmas day.

Rev A. L. Hubbard and family were entertained in Bridgeport, Christmas, at the home of Mrs Chattaway. Mrs Ward of Orange, N. J., is at

the home of her sister, Mrs William B. Mead, caring for her only brother, Charles Durand, who is very sick. George Offenbacker of Pennsylvanis has been in the town, visiting his who have been spending several old friends. He was formerly of this place, spending his boyhood days at

Stepney Depot. Mr and Mrs John Hinckley spent daughter, Mrs William painner,

There will be preaching service,

Old fashioned buckwheat flour and spent Christmas in Huntington, the walk; Mr and ars D. O. Chase, Mr and young and a short business meet-

Grandma's Pan cake flour, just the guest of Mrs Beardsley's parents, Mr

Trumbull. AFFAIRS ABOUT TOWN. Mr and Mrs John M. Bailey enter- Ridgefield.

tained a party of friends at their home on Christmas day. Christmas and Sunday in Long Hill, walk. the guests of Misses Kate and Marion

John T. Porter, the blacksmith, has a good stock of shoes on hand day. and is now ready to sharpen your horse at short notice.

Mr and Mrs W. E. Kelly of Bridgeof Long Hill and W. E. Hendigan of Christmas dinner with Mr and Mrs Bridgeport were all guests, Christmas day, of Mr and Mrs P. Hendigan.

The milk men of Trumbull experienced considerable trouble, Sunday morning, delivering their milk on account of the severe snow and wind storm and some were unable to cover their whole route on account of the

S. J. Parks, the merchant at the Center, is enlarging and improving his store, this week, by moving the book portion several feet to the east, la '. thus making the south half nearly twice as wide and much lighter, mill have enjoyed a holiday. When the work is all completed he convenient store for his business.

P. A. Hendigan, the blacksmith, has a big stock of shoes all shaped and sharpened and can fit your horse out in a short time.

Almon French of Bridgeport spent

the Christmas holiday here, the guest of Mr and Mrs Nelson French. C. F. Brinsmade, the feed man, is presenting his customers with a very neat and pretty calendar for 1910. F. H. and George S. Dibble are en-

their work at the Singer Mahufacturing Co.'s, factory in Briggeport, while they are taking inventory there. First Selectman L. M. Shelton with force or men broke out the road from White Plains to Nichols, Monday morning, which was badiy

drifted by the storm of Saturday and If you need a pair of felt or rubber boots, arctics or rubbers, you will find your fit at S. J. Park's store at the Center, and you can save money by buying them of him.

Weston.

LULIDAY VISITORS.

Among those spending Christmas out of town were Mr and .irs A. C. Bradley, Mrs L. J. Crossman, in Wilton; Mr and Mrs James Coley and year of more benefit to myself and son, Mr and Mrs Oscar Budd and chil- others?" ris, Mr and Mrs S. B. Fancher in ing. December 31, at 11 o'clock, pre-Edwards S. Beardsley and family Greenwich; Miss Irene Perry in Nor-ceeded by a social gathering for old

Mrs George Barrett in Poplar Plains. at 8

Mr and Mrs R. C. Williams enter-

The Rowland farms have been sold sent. Mr and Mrs O. B. Burton spent to Frederick Rowan of South Nor-

Many cross-roads in town were blocked for several hours by heavy snow of Saturday and Sun-

Miss Isabel Beers has returned to Norwalk after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs H. M. Trowbridge. port, Mrs Ellen McGuire and family Mr and Mrs Trowbridge enjoyed

> Mr and Mrs G. E. Drew are guests of New York relatives. Mr and Mrs Jacob Kennel enter-

H. M. Beers in Norwalk.

Miss Pansy Trowbridge has enparents in Norwalk. business trip to Bridgeport, Wednes- of seven pieces.

The force at Milblain's steam saw A team horse belonging to Stephen will have a much more roomy and Gregory of Norwalk dropped dead from heart disease, while he was

loading word on the Partrick proper-ty, near the residence of Mrs E. J. Bulkiey, one day last week, Miss Eliz beth Gordon is the guest of Easton friends.

Kent.

GRANGE NOTES.

The lecturer's hour at Kent Grange on Wednesday evening, January 5, joying a two week's vacation from will be devoted to poultry. There will be several papers along this line, interspersed with humorous readings, recitation and music. Topic for discussion, "Does it pay to make a specialty of poultry on a farm?"
"Will a mixed flock lay better than
thoroughbreds?" "Does it pay to "Does it pay to raise chickens for broilers in this section?" or hens?" "Which pays better, cows

> CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES.

The subjects of the sermons for next Sunday morning will be. Junior congregation, "Turning over a new leaf;" regular congregation, Business of Life;" evening, "Considering our way.' The subject for discussion in the

A watch night service will be held

men's Cornerstone class will be, "What can I do to make the next

and Mrs C. rl. Scofield with Mr and ing of the Christain Endeavor society

The annual meeting of the church tained as Christmas guests, Mr and will be held on Thursday evening, Mrs Hawley Williams, Master Frank | January 6, at 6.30 for the annual Harcor, Mr and Mrs A. W. Nichols, supper, roll call election of officers Keep Well and Master Clarence Nichols of and transaction of business. It is desired that every member of the church and those interested be pre-

> optician, wil be at M. W. Hill's jewelstore, New Milford, January 3 to

> > New Milford

A MASQUERADE BALL.

A masquerade ball under the auspices of the New Milford Band, will tained at Christmas dinner, Mr and be given in the Town hall, New Mil-Mrs Henry Kennel and children of ford, Friday, December 31, New Redding.

The grand march will begin at 9 sharp Tickets admittin.g joyed a week's visit with her grand- gent with lady \$1.00. Extra ladies 50 cents. Spectators, 25 cents. Mu-Orlando Andrews and son took a sic will be furnished by an orchestra

> Deputy Sheriff and Mrs E. J. Hungerford were guests, Christmas day, of Mr and Mrs George H. Jack-

> Mr and Mrs George Dodd and daughter left on Monday for their home at Winter Gardens, Fla. Bert Baumann is on a ten days furlough from the battleship "Wis-

consin." Friends and relatives are

glad to have him with them for a

few days.

Mr and Mrs M. Edward Crossman left for Falls Village, the bride's old home, on Monday evening, for a few days visit.

Roxbury Announcements.

esired that every member of the hurch and those interested be preent.

By keeping your feet warm and dry. We have your size in our large stock of Felt and Rubber Boots; also Rubbers and Actics in sizes to fit all. Nice line of Warm Gloves and Mittens. Full stock of all kinds of Groceries and General Merchandise. Notice on and after January 1, 1910, our store will close every evening at 7 o'clock except Saturday evening.

The Farmers' Store,

Allen Joyce,

Roxbury Station, Conn

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